

## Message Text

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FM AMCONSUL NICE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 931

INFO AMCONSUL MARSEILLE

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E.O. 11652 /,A

TAGS: CDES FR HORN MANIME

SUBJECT DEATH

REF STATE 183730 185660

1.REQUEST DEPT INFORM MR HORN NOONE HERE AWARE HIS DESIRE AUTOPSY.  
IN SEVERAL TELCONS WITH CONOFF IN WHICH ASSISTANCE INTERPRETIN  
AND CLARIFYING SITUATION REPEATEDLY OFFERED HE NEVER MENTIONED  
AUTOPSYM HOSPITAL DID NOT PERFORM ONE BECAUSE CIRCUMSTANCES OF  
DEATH AND SYMPTOMS CLEARLY INDICATED DEATH BY HEARTATTACH  
TENTITIVE DIAGNOSIS MYOCARDIAL INFARCTUS

2. HOSPIAL WOULD HAVE PERFORMED AUTOPSY AT HORNS REQUEST HAD  
HE MADE KNOWN HIS WISHES. NOW BODY HES BEEN REMOVEDTO UNDERTAKER  
FAMILY MUST MAKE SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS WIH MEDECIN LEGISTE  
(SPECIALIST FORENSIC MEDECINE) FOR AUTOPSY IF THEY WISH DEFINITE  
PROOF OF CASSE OF DEATH. ROUGHT ESTIMATE COST PROVIDED BY PARQUET  
AT GRASSE AT LEASTF1500 (US DLLARS 350)

3. HOSPITAL CHARGES OF F900 WERE FOR USE OF REANIMATION UNIT  
(INTENSIVE CARE) WHERE EVERY EFFORT MADE TO REVIVE MRS HORN  
BEFORE DECLARED DEAD. CHARGES FOR REANIMATION UNIT CALCULATED ON  
DAILY BASIS EVEN IF UNIT ONLY USED ONE HOUR

4. REF STATE 183730 UNDERTAKER STATES TOTAL COSTS CREMATION AND  
FIVE YEARS SORAE ASHES IN CREMATORIMUM ABOUT F5800 (DOLLARS 1350).  
ADDITIONAL AIRFREIGHT CHARGES TO US ABOUT DOLS 250. UNDERTAKER  
WILL REFUND BALANCE REMAINING FROM HORNS CHECK FOR DOLS 1950  
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(NOT DOLS 2200)

5. IN VIEW UNCERTAINTY OVER FAMILYS WISHES ON AUTOPSY HAVE  
CANCELLED CREMATION SCHEDULED FOR TODAY AND AWAIT INSTRUCTIONS FROM  
FAMILY ON WHETHER TO PROCEED WITH AUTOPSY OR CREMATION  
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